

# 12V CORDLESS TRIMMER MODEL H0600 INSTRUCTION MANUAL



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#### SAFETY

# WARNING

#### For Your Own Safety Read Instruction Manual **Before Operating This Equipment**

The purpose of safety symbols is to attract your attention to possible hazardous conditions. This manual uses a series of symbols and signal words which are intended to convey the level of importance of the safety messages. The progression of symbols is described below. Remember that safety messages by themselves do not eliminate danger and are not a substitute for proper accident prevention measures.

# **DANGER**

Indicates an imminently hazardous situation which, if not avoided, WILL result in death or serious injury.

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Indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, MAY result in minor or moderate injury. It may also be used to alert against unsafe practices.

NOTICE This symbol is used to alert the user to useful information about proper operation of the equipment.

## **A**WARNING Safety Instructions For Power Tools

- KEEP ALL SAFETY DEVICES IN 1. PLACE and in working order.
- REMOVE ADJUSTING KEYS AND 2. WRENCHES. Form habit of checking to see that keys and adjusting wrenches are removed from tool before turning on.
- KEEP WORK AREA CLEAN. 3. Cluttered areas and benches invite accidents.
- DON'T USE IN DANGEROUS 4. ENVIRONMENT. Don't use power tools in damp or wet locations, or where any flammable or noxious fumes may exist. Keep work area well lighted.

- **KEEP CHILDREN AND VISITORS** 5. AWAY. All children and visitors should be kept a safe distance from work area.
- 6. MAKE WORK SHOP CHILD PROOF with padlocks, master switches, or by removing starter keys.
- 7. DON'T FORCE TOOL. It will do the iob better and safer at the rate for which it was designed.
- USE RIGHT TOOL. Don't force tool 8. or attachment to do a job for which it was not designed.

# **AWARNING**

#### **Safety Instructions For Power Tools**

9. USE PROPER EXTENSION CORD for the charger. Make sure your extension cord is in good condition. Conductor size should be in accordance with the chart below. The amperage rating should be listed on the motor or tool nameplate. An undersized cord will cause a drop in line voltage resulting in loss of power and overheating. Your extension cord must also contain a ground wire and plug pin. Always repair or replace extension cords if they become damaged.

Minimum Gauge for Extension Cords

AMP	LENGTH		
RATING	25ft	50ft	100ft
0-6	18	16	16
7-10	18	16	14
11-12	16	16	14
13-16	14	12	12
17-20	12	12	10
21-30	10	10	No

- 10. WEAR PROPER APPAREL. Do not wear loose clothing, gloves, neckties, rings, bracelets, or other jewelry which may get caught in moving parts. Non-slip footwear is recommended. Wear protective hair covering to contain long hair.
- 11. ALWAYS USE SAFETY GLASSES. Also use face or dust mask if cutting operation is dusty. Everyday eyeglasses only have impact resistant lenses, they are NOT safety glasses.
- 12. SECURE WORK. Use clamps or a vise to hold work when practical. It's safer than using your hand and frees both hands to operate tool.

- **13. DON'T OVERREACH.** Keep proper footing and balance at all times.
- 14. MAINTAIN TOOLS WITH CARE. Keep tools sharp and clean for best and safest performance. Follow instructions for lubricating and changing accessories.
- DISCONNECT TOOLS before servicing and changing accessories, such as blades, bits, cutters, and the like.
- 16. REDUCE THE RISK OF UNIN-TENTIONAL STARTING. Make sure switch is in off position before plugging in.
- 17. USE RECOMMENDED ACCES-SORIES. Consult the owner's manual for recommended accessories. The use of improper accessories may cause risk of injury.
- 18. CHECK DAMAGED PARTS.

  Before further use of the tool, a guard or other part that is damaged should be carefully checked to determine that it will operate properly and perform its intended function. Check for alignment of moving parts, binding of moving parts, breakage of parts, mounting, and any other conditions that may affect its operation. A guard or other part that is damaged should be properly repaired or replaced.
- NEVER LEAVE TOOL RUNNING UNATTENDED. TURN POWER OFF. Don't leave tool until it comes to a complete stop.

## CHARGING SAFETY

# **AWARNING**

- READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS and warnings on the battery and charger before charging the battery.
- CHARGE ONLY USING THE SUP-PLIED CHARGER AND BAT-TERY. Do not use with other batteries, chargers or cordless equipment.
- DO NOT EXPOSE BATTERY OR CHARGER TO WET OR RAINY CONDITIONS. Moisture greatly increases the risk of a shock hazard.
- 4. DO NOT TOUCH BATTERY POLES with any conductive materials. Touching any two poles at the same time causes a short condition and can cause sparks, electrical shock or fire.
- DO NOT STORE BATTERY WITH CONDUCTIVE MATERIALS.
   Storing the battery in a box of screws or nails can cause shorting across the battery poles.
- DO NOT THROW BATTERY IN FIRE. Combustion of some of the batteries' component materials can cause toxic fumes and possible

explosion

- 7. IF CHARGER LIGHT FAILS TO COME ON check the incoming power supply. If power source is okay, then the fuse inside the charger needs replacement. Charger should be serviced by a qualified electrical technician only.
- 8. DO NOT ATTEMPT TO MODIFY THE CHARGER PLUG. Modifying the plug will result in a safety hazard and will void the warranty.
- 9. CHARGER IS DESIGNED TO OPERATE AT 110-120 VOLTS. Never try to plug into any circuit that is not 110-120 volts. Never modify or change the plug that is attached to the charger unit to attempt to plug into 220 volt. This can cause serious electrical damage to the unit, possible fire or explosion.

# **A**CAUTION

Never leave a battery unattended while charging. While charging will make the battery and charging unit warm, if it becomes hot to the touch, disconnect the charger immediately. There is a possibility of fire hazard. Have the battery and charging unit checked by a qualified electrical service technician.



BATTERY MUST BE RECYCLED OR DISPOSED OF PROPERLY.

Consult your local Yellow Pages directory under the category "Recycling" to locate a battery recycler in your area.

#### INTRODUCTION

#### Commentary

We are proud to offer the Grizzly Model H0600 Cordless Trimmer. The Model H0600 is part of a growing Grizzly family of fine power tools. When used according to the guidelines set forth in this manual, you can expect years of trouble-free, enjoyable operation and proof of Grizzly's commitment to customer satisfaction.

The Model H0600 offers a 12V motor and cuts a 3½" wide swath through most light trimming applications. Switch lock keeps it running without holding the trigger to avoid stress and hand fatigue.

We are pleased to provide this manual with the Model H0600. It was written to encourage safety considerations and guide you through general operating procedures and maintenance. It represents our effort to produce the best documentation possible.

The specifications, details, and photographs in this manual represent the Model H0600 as supplied when the manual was prepared. However, owing to Grizzly's policy of continuous improvement, changes may be made at any time with no obligation on the part of Grizzly. If you have any comments regarding this manual, please write to us at the address below:

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# **A**CAUTION

To operate this, or any power tool, safely and efficiently, it is essential to become as familiar with its characteristics as possible. The time you invest before you begin to use your Model H0600 will be time well spent. DO NOT operate this tool until you are competely familiar with the contents of this manual. Make sure you read and understand all of the safety procedures. If you do not understand something, DO NOT operate the tool.

# **AWARNING**

Operating this equipment has the potential to propel debris into the air which can cause eye injury. Always wear safety glasses or goggles when operating equipment. Be certain the safety glasses you wear meet the appropriate standards of the American National Standards Institute (ANSI).

#### **BEFORE YOU START**

The battery in your new cordless power tool will not be fully charged when you receive it. Follow the instructions below to charge your battery.

## Battery charging with the standard charger:

- Plug the power cord for the charger into the 110/120V outlet.
- Insert the battery into the charger. The battery fits into the oval recess in only one way. Do not force the battery. Insert until it locks into place.
- The red LED light on the charging unit will come on when the battery begins its charging cycle.
- 4. Charge battery for 3-5 hours for a full charge from a fully depleted condition. The red LED will not go off until the battery is removed from the charger base.

#### Control Location

Refer to **Figure 1** for the location of the key components and controls of the machine. Become familiar with the controls and all of the adjustments and settings before operating the Trimmer

#### **Operating Tips**

Avoid overloading the trimmer by cutting objects too large for the blades. A good indication of motor stress is by listening to the sound it makes. If the speed drops and it sounds like the motor is struggling, it probably is. Use common sense when using this trimmer, and it will give you many years of trouble-free service.

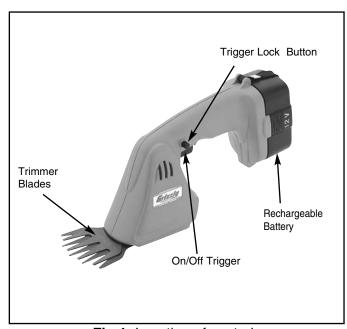


Fig 1. Location of controls.

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